

REMARKS

In the above referenced Office Action, the Examiner divided the claims into the following groups:

I. Claims 1-3, 11, said to be drawn to a method for adapting source code version;

II. Claims 4-10, 12, said to be drawn to a method for analyzing a version of a computer program;

III. Claims 13-16, said to be drawn to a method for generating rules relative to a gaming system;

IV. Claims 17-19, said to be drawn to a method of storing a game state rule;

V. Claims 20-24, said to be drawn to data storage containing game states;

VI. Claims 25-29, said to be drawn to the method of serializing a set of object instances residing on a heap; and

VII. Claims 30-31, said to be drawn to data storage containing a serialized object data structure.

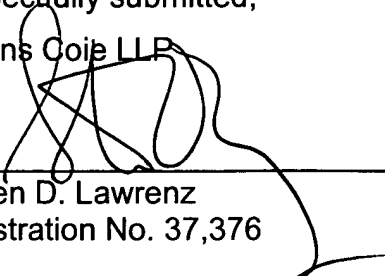
In response, the applicants elect Group I without traverse. Non-elected claims 4-10 and 12-31 have been canceled.

Accordingly, the applicant(s) have elected to begin prosecution with examination of claims 1-3 and 11.

No fees are believed due with this communication. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge any deficiency in fees herein to Deposit Account No. 50-0665.

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